

HOUSE RESOLUTION 56
By Goins

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Powell Valley High School Coach Dennis Cline on being selected District 3-AA Coach of the Year.

WHEREAS, the Tennessee General Assembly is pleased to specially recognize coaches who are successful and serve as excellent role models for our young people; and

WHEREAS, popular and highly regarded Powell Valley High School Coach Dennis Cline is clearly one such exemplary citizen; and

WHEREAS, the tremendous success that the Indians have exhibited under his able tutelage was appropriately honored when he recently received the District 3-AA Boys' Basketball Coach of the Year award; and

WHEREAS, the honor is significant because it is voted on by the persons who know best the coach most deserving of the honor, the District 3 AA coaches; and

WHEREAS, this is the third time in the last four years Coach Cline has received this prestigious recognition; and

WHEREAS, Coach Cline's teams have enjoyed remarkable success through the years, as evidenced by their winning the district championship in 1991, the regional title in 1994 and reaching the substate tournament, and the district, region substate championships, and reaching the semifinal round of the state playoffs in 1995; and

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WHEREAS, his exceptional seven-year record is 133-76, a winning percentage of 63%, and an average of 19 victories per season; and

WHEREAS, Coach Cline's students are unanimous in their praise of his teaching ability; and

WHEREAS, Coach Cline is a distinguished 1987 graduate of Lincoln Memorial University, where he received a Bachelor of Science degree; and

WHEREAS, he is married to the former Jean Rowlett, and they have four children: Levi, Jedidiah, Caitlyn and Caleigh; and

WHEREAS, Coach Cline is the son of Bill and Mandy Cline and has one brother, Delynn, who is the football coach at Powell Valley; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we pause in our deliberations to honor this fine coach; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we honor and congratulate Coach Dennis Cline on being chosen District 3-AA Coach of the Year and wish him well in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.